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Prior Application

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Parent Application

Serial No. 08/679,411

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For: Coupling Mechanism and Panel for
Sectional Door

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

In the Specification:

At page 2, line 1, please insert:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a divisional of co-pending application Serial No. 08/679,411 filed

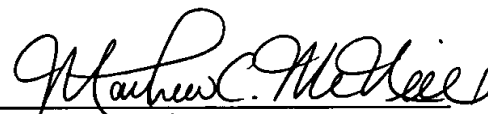
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If in the opinion of the Examiner a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at (414) 362-0610.

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